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Amendments to the Claims:

- 1. (Currently amended) The method of generating simulating service loads comprising the steps of:
- a), developing a service load history database including multiple time series models representative of different service load conditions:
 - b), combining the multiple time series models;
- c). adjusting a parameter of each of the time series models and creating an accelerated service load model;
- d). regenerating random vibration load data based upon the accelerated service load model; and
- e). feeding the load data to a drive simulation system to thereby cause the drive simulation system to simulate service loads in accordance with the random vibration load data.
- 2. (Currently amended) The method as recited in claim 1 wherein said step of developing a service load history <u>database</u> further comprises modeling original random vibration tests in different time series models.
- 3. (Currently amended) The method as recited in claim 2 wherein said step of adjusting the ehange in parameter O_1 (i=1,...n) of each of the time series models further comprises changing the a value of a variance σ_a^2 , where

$$f(\omega) = \frac{\Delta \sigma_a^2}{2\pi} \frac{1}{\left|e^{\pi i\omega\Delta} - \phi_1 e^{(n-1)i\omega\Delta} - \dots - \phi_n\right|^2}, \frac{\pi}{\Delta} \le \omega \le \frac{\pi}{\Delta}.$$

wherein $f(\omega)$ is an autospectrum of the time series model for a sampling interval Δ as a function of angular frequency ω ,.

4. (Original) The method as recited in claim 3 wherein said step of regenerating the

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random vibration load data is based upon a recursive formula.

5. (Original) The method as recited in claim 4 wherein said step of feeding the load data to a drive simulation system further comprises converting a digital signal to an analog signal and transmitting said analog signal to actuators.